Amendment No. 5 to HB2389

<u>Watson</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 2357

House Bill No. 2389*

By the third sentence of amendment # 3 and substituting instead the following:

Prior to transporting a defendant for commitment in a department facility, the sheriff or other transportation agent shall determine that the receiving facility has available suitable accommodations, but in no event shall the sheriff or transportation agent be required to wait longer than sixty (60) minutes for the receiving facility to make such determination. The sheriff or transportation agent shall not be required to remain at the receiving facility with the defendant for any longer than the maximum waiting period authorized by § 33-6-406(b)(2).